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GERMANY TO DEFY ALLIES TO DO THEIR WORST

HAS VISION OF NEEDS.
Commission Tells of Rate Fixing.

Worked with Idea of Developing the State's Hydro-electric Power.

Preparing for Enlargement of Tremendous Industrial Activity.

(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH)
SACRAMENTO, Jan. 31.—Rate regulation of utilities in California is administered by the State Railroad Commission has been in the interest of the consumers and the utility, without profiteering, according to the showing made before the joint committee of the Senate and Assembly, which began its investigation of the commission under the man resolution today.

It also developed that the commission has had large vision of the need of California, as a whole, in maintaining and expanding its system of utilities, particularly the hydroelectric development, in preparation for the tremendous enlargement of industrial activity and acceleration of population due to the State during this new decade.

MISTAKEN MINDS.

After a day of sharp questioning and clarifying answers from the utility men on the commission and its staff had contributed to the information of both the committee and the complainants present and set their plunked minds right on many erroneous impressions. The main point was this: the statement of Commissioners Brundage and Devlin and former Commissioner Edgerton, who met criticism based on fact in their statements, particularly in specific cases, with broad emphatic contradictory facts.

Commissioner Devlin's statement was the first and it answered the point of the investigation, presented by Senator James, chairman of the committee, by showing the premises of many of them, particularly as to the count which was made in the course of the case before the commission, leaving this had been by "default" of the state.

It was shown by Mr. Devlin that every case included in the findings of the representation of the utility rating rates, but the analysis and corrections of figures by the commission's experts, the distribution of rates equally among consumers and the provision of tentative revenue that is not expected of the property used, and not with reference to the rates and bonds issued, if any, must come out of the rate return.

BLUNDIGE STATEMENT.

Commissioner Brundage, in a long statement, discussed the organization and internal functioning of the commission and its formulas and methods of operation.

The statement showed:

That the rate is based on anything but the value of the property necessary.

That all utilities must uniformly sport every penny of finance and that each report is thoughtful by the commission's engineers and experts and when a rate is directed, he pointed out that in the investigation of United Railroads of San Francisco, request to issue a rate, the committee's expense is the amount of the erroneous conversion of less than \$1,000,000 and in many other cases smaller sums.

That the rates have increased more than has been behind the known increases of all commodities, not exceeding 40 per cent and usually less, and that the increases are not necessary. He pointed out that in the case of the American and Chilean reception committees have arranged a program of entertainment for the hundreds of sailors of the fleet, including golf, tennis, basketball, ball games and dances, while social functions await Admiral Rodman and his staff here and in Santiago.

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That instead of meeting the needs of municipalities, the committee should revert their support and services to the public welfare in administrative work does every thing for the municipality and the consumers that could do for themselves and more benefit the public welfare.

He pointed out that it has become habitual for the commission to treat its administrative work as for and on behalf of the public, that is, on behalf of the people, that this was not better understood by the people.

That the commission functions uniformly and the public welfare.

That it cannot fix rates that would constitute a fair return on value, because the courts, if appealed would require compensation.

CANNOT RECUPERATE.

Brundage pointed out that the utilities under the regulation are deprived of the chance which exists private and unregulated businesses have, high returns during the periods of prosperity, but low returns during the periods of depression.

Hence the constant effort is to keep the utilities going forward on "even keel" with a little cushion.

The official program arranged for the entertainment of the officers and crews of the American ships will be given tomorrow with the arrival of the battleship squadron of the fleet.

Admiral E. Wilson, commander-in-chief, will go to Lima to visit

President Leguia, the Peruvian Minister and Minister of Marine,

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ROW OVER JAP PACT.
Johnson and Colby in Clash.

California Senator Says West Has Right to Know the Treaty Details.

Reiterates Charge Agreement Nullifies Present Alien Land Laws.

CHILD BORN AFTER MOTHER'S DEATH.

Woman Killed When Train Strikes Auto; Cesarean Operation Performed.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE)
MILWAUKEE, Jan. 31.—A child was born early today by a cesarean operation performed in a Racine hospital a few minutes after the mother had died of injuries received when a train struck an automobile. Five others were seriously injured. The child will live, physicians said. The woman was the mother of six other children.

LINDSEY IS A LOSER IN HIGH COURT.

Denver Jurist Says He Will Go to Jail Rather Than Pay \$500 Fine.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—The appeal of Judge Ben B. Lindsey of the Denver Juvenile Court, from conviction on charges of contempt of court, was dismissed today by the Supreme Court.

Judge Lindsey's conviction, which resulted in a fine of \$500, grew out of his refusal to divulge to the District Attorney confidences made to him by Neal Wright, one of his charges who was accused of complicity in the murder of a farmer. Judge Lindsey maintained that confidences made to him in his judicial capacity were privileged, and that it would be a violation of law and ethics for him to testify as to such information.

DENVER, Jan. 31.—Judge Ben B. Lindsey of Denver's Juvenile Court, when informed today that the Supreme Court had dismissed his appeal from a sentence on charges of contempt of court, said:

PEOPLE SHOULD BE TOLD.
"But a controversy between the Secretary and myself as to what is contained in the report of Ambassador Morris is of no consequence.

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CHILE WELCOMES FLEET.
Pacific Fighters at Valparaiso; Rodman and Hurtado Exchange Visits.

(BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS)

VALPARAISO (Chile) Jan. 31.—The United States Pacific Fleet, composed of the dreadnaughts New Mexico, Idaho, Wyoming, Arkansas, Texas, New York and Mississippi, eighteen destroyers and five auxiliary craft, arrived here today after a cruise from Panama which was made in nine days. Thousands of persons, including scores of natives of the United States, assembled to view the sea fighters as they steamed into the harbor for a five-days visit.

SALUTES EXCHANGED.

The Sagittus of Admiral Hugh Rodman, the New Mexico, fired a salute of twenty-one guns, to which the battleship Oregon and the Chilean warship O'Higgins replied. The New Mexico anchored half a mile offshore, the other warships comprising the sixth and seventh, fifteenth and thirty-third destroyer divisions anchoring in column formation of several miles.

The squadron represented the most powerful navy force to visit Chilean waters since 1908, when the United States fleet visited Valparaiso in its world cruise.

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EANTA ELENA (Ecuador) Jan. 22.—A Chilean fleet passed here today to meet the American Pacific fleet, which is on its way to Valparaiso. Radio messages were exchanged by the fleets during the day.

(CALLAO (Peru) Jan. 22.—Three United States destroyers joined the advance guard of the United States Atlantic Fleet, which will pay a visit to Peruvian waters. The American ships will give an exhibition of their gunnery, the docks being crowded with people who commented on the splendid impression made by the little warships.

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The claim that the commission guarantees' rates at 5 per cent to utilities he said was untrue because the commission seldom creates rate increases that will produce that minimum.

Witnesses had testified that bond

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TAX DRIVE IS BEGUN.

Fourteen Millions is Demanded.

Stephens in Opening Speech Blames People for Present Situation.

Corporation Baiting Junctet Inspired by Desire for Re-election.

(BY KYLE PALMER)
OAKLAND, Jan. 31.—Lacking only the presence of a jinx band to give his appeal the typical send-off of a war-time drive for funds, Gov. Stephens, here tonight, launched his drive for \$14,000,000 in additional taxes.

He followed an anticipated line of argument, when, in advocating adoption by the Legislature of the defeated King tax bill, he blamed the people for the situation.

According to the Governor, his tax drive is inspired by a desire to equalize the taxes paid by public service corporations. According to Assembyman Hurley of Oakland, who helped to defeat the tax measure in the Assembly, the administration's corporation-baiting junctet is political in its inspiration and seeks, among other things, to lay a foundation for a campaign to re-elect Gov. Stephens two years hence.

ASSEMBLYMAN PRESENT.

Assemblyman Hurley, Senator Breed, president pro tem of the State Senate, and Assemblymen Brooks were present in the small audience that gathered in the Governor's office when the bill was held.

They were prepared to ask the executive several questions, which, according to Hurley, they thought he should answer as a matter of justice to the people of California.

Analysis of the State's financial condition with relation to administration efforts to gain additional millions in revenues disclosed a number of anomalies of which a chief concern of the Legislature is the possibility that administration spokesmen, in holding the people responsible for an additional \$18,000,000 on top of the \$14,000,000.

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SUMMARY OF SITUATION.

Summarized, this situation reveals itself thus:

The legislature budget presented to the Legislature in 1918 called for \$14,580,152.

The budget for the biennium starting in June, 1921, calls for \$13,787,582.

For two years the increased demands total \$23,807,358, of which \$18,000,000 has been voted for teachers' salaries, for highway improvement and for aid to dependent veterans.

But there yet remains to be explained away that increase of \$1,807,358 in government costs—an increase patently that cannot be explained away by the people.

LEGISLATORS' VIEW.

Further, it was maintained here tonight by legislators opposite to the administration's demand for a huge tax increase, that administration leaders could best serve the State by remaining in Sacramento during the constitutional recess and spending nearly time in cutting down the budget.

This cutting process, according to the court of first instance, Counsel for the defense, in view of comments by those who claimed the men could not be placed in jeopardy twice for the same offense, but the court ruled that the sedition and murder charges were concerning two acts unconnected with each other.

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TO SPEND GERMAN INDEMNITY IN RECONSTRUCTING FRANCE.

(BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS)

PARIS, Jan. 31.—Satisfaction of the general public over the plan for collection of German reparations arises in great part from the expectation that the first effective payments by Germany will make available for negotiations or for use as security the French share of the \$6,000,000,000 gold marks in bonds delivered by the Germans to the reparations commission.

The British agreement not to utilize Great Britain's claim on Germany as a basis for loans during the next five years leaves the financial market open to France for that period.

French reconstruction plans provide for the expenditure of \$20,000,000,000 gold francs yearly for five years, which is equivalent to \$5,500,000,000.

LONDON, Jan. 31.—Allied reparation terms decided upon by the Supreme Council in Paris last week were described as "folly" by the Manchester Guardian today. The newspaper said: "We may be thankful the terms can never be executed."

In the opinion of this journal, Germany will be able to pay indefinitely only by exporting goods.

"If she exported every year an additional \$300,000,000 worth of goods to France, England and Belgium," the newspaper said, "the outcry raised by competing manufacturers of those countries would be heartrending. It is already audible."

TO CUT NAVY PERSONNEL.

Nearly Third to be Lopped Off; Work on Coast Must Continue.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—The naval appropriation bill, which probably will be reported to the House Wednesday, carries approximately \$350,000,000, a reduction of about \$28,000,000 from the amount appropriated last year and \$284,000,000 less than departmental estimates.

An appropriation of \$395,000,000 in the opinion of members of the appropriations subcommittee that framed the bill, would necessitate a reduction of the Navy's enlisted personnel from 143,000 to 100,000, but would permit a continuation of the Navy's building program at the same rate as during the current fiscal year.

LATEST NEWS.

Cotton Mills Resume

NEW BEDFORD (Mass.) Jan. 31.—Several of the cotton mills here today started machinery that had been idle for weeks.

To Ratify Krassin Pact

LONDON, Jan. 31.—The Central News learns that the Russian soviet government is expected to ratify the pact of alliance between Russia and France.

According to this information, it approves M. Krassin's work and ap-

points him representative at London.

Beer Bill is Repealed

TRENTON (N. J.) Jan. 31.—The bill tonight passed Mrs. Marchant, Rep., from the office of Gov. Edwards's 3.50 per cent beer bill.

The House passed the repeal last week. A resolution to ratify the Federal prohibition amendment.

KEEP ALL OFFICERS.

There will be no cut in officers, he declared, saying the subcommittee believed every one of the 8,000 now in service should be retained. Trained officers, he declared, are the nucleus of an efficient Navy.

Jack Pickford Loses License

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 31.—The California chauffeur's license issued to Jack Pickford, motion-picture actor, has been canceled for one year because he persisted in violating the law.

He had gained the impression that Mr. Harding favored such a policy. A Navy of 100,000 would be needed to man the coast-patrolling craft, he said, adding:

"We would have enough men to keep 100 destroyers and all of our submarines in service. It probably would be necessary to tie up some out-of-date ships, but it is advisable to do that to economize."

REDUCE LAND FORCE.

Use of only modern craft, in the subcommittee's opinion, would cut repair work and would permit a reduction in land forces and the possible abandonment of some stations.

Congressmen Praise Advantages of San Pedro as Submarine Base.

REPORT MADE BY FULL COMMITTEE

Formal Recommendations Are Confirmed.

Los Angeles Harbor Base Best in Southland.

Expenditure of Not More than \$4,000,000 Favored.

BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE!
WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—The full membership of the Congressional Joint Committee created to select the Pacific Coast naval bases today unanimously recommended Alameda, on San Francisco Bay, as the general fleet naval base. Other bases recommended were San Diego and Sand Point for aviation and San Pedro for a submarine base.

The submarine base at San Pedro, Cal., the committee recommended should be established at a cost not exceeding \$4,000,000.

Referring to the Camp Kearny site, near San Diego, Cal., the committee's report said:

ADVANTAGES OF SITE.

"In view of the advantages of this site, which cannot be paralleled at any other point in this section, the committee recommends that it be selected as a lighter-than-air aviation base."

Outlining the San Francisco Bay project, the committee said:

"The Joint Committee recommends that the site offered by the city of Alameda be selected, with a

view to the development thereon of a naval base.

An excellent navy yard at Mare Island is an excellent navy yard at well equipped and efficient, and should be continued in its present activities as a navy yard for construction and repair purposes as different from an aviation and supply base, and the Navy base to be established at Alameda should, for the present, be limited to an operating and supply base."

No specifications were made by the committee fixing the amount of money to be spent on the Alameda and San Diego projects.

SANDY POINT PROJECT.

The Sand Point project, bordering on Lake Washington, will cover about 400 acres. The committee said that the development of the site was not favored for use both lighter-than-air and heavier-than-air craft.

It is recommended that at least one unit of heavier-than-air equipment be installed at a cost not to exceed \$1,500,000.

The future development of the site and the enlargement of its aircraft activities," the committee said, "should be subject to future decision."

The committee stated that notwithstanding many advantages of Hunter's Point, on San Francisco Bay, the circumstances advised in its favor. It believes the Alameda site on the opposite side of the bay is preferable."

Speaking in favor of the Alameda site, the committee said:

LARGE AREA.

"The large acreage at Alameda makes possible a naval base which will permit not only of dry docks on satisfactory pile foundations, berthing space, repair shops, etc., but also extensive facilities for the most advanced bases, bases for fuel oil and coal and other naval supplies, aviation fields, training and other stations."

The committee added that if such

REPARATIONS CLOUD FADES.

Experts See Financial Gloom Dissipating.

Supreme Council Plan Will Need Changes.

Ability of Germany to Pay Considered.

(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—The definite fixation of the financial reparations to be paid by Germany will, in the opinion of American government officials and financial and economic experts, contribute more than anything else to the financial stabilization of the world. But authorities here are not optimistic regarding the results of the plan approved by the Supreme Council of the Allied Powers for a determination of the German debt.

It is the best opinion in informed circles here that the reparations will be paid by Germany.

The report contains a statement from the Navy General Board, which, in referring to Mare Island navy yard, said that the yard was "shallowly situated in many respects."

The committee asserted that the disadvantage of a location on a shallow and muddy estuary reached by a dredged channel several miles inland.

FAULTS OF MARE ISLAND.

"In view of all these considerations," the committee said, "it recommends that the site offered by the city of Alameda be selected."

The cost of clearing and grading the land involved in the project is approximately \$800,000, but complete development of this project was not considered by the committee.

The committee asserted that the expenditure necessary to equip the site for use as a flying field would depend upon the extent of development desired by the Navy Department.

EDIE HOOK. Port Angeles, Wash., was recommended to be retained as an emergency site for naval units including aircraft, destroyers, and submarines, "in case of emergency," but the committee said "no further improvement should be undertaken at this time."

HOBOKEN HOTEL FIRE DEATH LIST GROWS.

THIRTEENTH VICTIM SUCCUMBS TO BURNS; TWO OTHERS IN SERIOUS CONDITION.

BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE!

HOBOKEN (N. J.), Jan. 31.—The death list continues to grow in the fire which destroyed the Hotel Colonial here totaled thirteen today, seven women and six men.

The thirteenth victim, Miss Blanch Kahler, 33, of Jersey City, died today in a hospital. Two other bodies, as yet unidentified, are in a very serious condition.

Fire department officials started an inquiry today to determine the cause of the fire, while the police department investigated the manner in which the hotel was conducted. Charges of Fire Chief Gilday that many bottles were found in the debris of the rooms, caused the second inquiry.

The bodies of five of the victims, three women and two men, remained unidentified this morning.

NAVY PERSONNEL TO BE SLASHED.

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with skeleton crews, but would not seriously cripple the Navy.

"The committee's action is not unexpected," the naval chief said. "We still will be able to keep all the latest battleships and about 40 per cent of the new destroyers in full commission."

Secretary Daniels added that he had opposed before the subcommittee any reduction in the appropriations for construction of the building program for naval aviation and for the development of bases and dock facilities on the Pacific Coast and Hawaii.

"These are the vital things that must go on," he said.

Representative Kelley said the amount carried in the appropriation bill would permit a monthly expenditure of approximately \$7,500,000 on the Navy's construction program during the coming fiscal year, and would not necessitate the abandonment of any projects started.

Expenditures on construction during the current year have been approximately \$7,000,000, he said. The Navy Department requested \$134,000,000 for the coming year.

IMPORTANT DECISIONS HELD UP BY RECESS.

BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE!

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—The Supreme Court recessed today until February 28, without having acted on several important cases which it had been considering.

The undecided cases included the appeal of Senator Truman H. Newberry from conviction under the Corrupt Practices Act. Seven Act cases were still under consideration, including a child labor section of the 1919 revenue act and of the Farm Loan Act.

Noted German Traveler Dies.

(BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS)

BERLIN, Jan. 31.—Prof. C. G. Schillings, noted African traveler and zoologist, died Sunday.

They Appeal to Our Sympathies.

The bilious and dyspeptic are constant sufferers and appeal to our sympathies. Many such have been completely restored to health by the use of Chamberlain's Tablets. These tablets strengthen the stomach, invigorate the liver and improve the digestion. They also act as gentle stimulants to the bowels. When you have any trouble with your stomach give them a trial.—[Advertisement.]

JAP TREATY CAUSES ROW.

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The contents of the report are all important, Mr. Colby has the report. The people of the West, to whom the report concerns, are entitled to know what that report contains. Yesterday it was discussed at length in Japan. Our people should not have to await its details through Japanese news channels.

It is not sufficient that the representatives from California or the Foreign Relations Committee have presented their report. We finally know what dissertation is intended to be made of the agricultural lands of California and other Western States. The people of these Western States are entitled to know.

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STUDEBAKER DECLARE DIVIDEND.

BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE!

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Regular quarterly dividends of \$1.25 each on both preferred and common stock outstanding were declared today by the board of directors of the Studebaker Corporation. They are payable in March to stockholders of record on February 19.

CEMENT COMPANIES IN \$30,000,000 MERGER.

BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE!

DENVER, Jan. 31.—A merger of the Alpha Portland Cement Company, which has plants in the east and the Central Securities Company, which has plants in the West, was announced here today.

The new company, to be known as the Alpha Cement Company, will be a \$30,000,000 concern, according to the announcement.

FRENCH CONCESSIONS.

There is grave doubt that Germany will accept the Paris plan of settlement, although it is recognized in Washington that the French government is willing to make financial concessions as far as possible at this time without forcing a crisis for the Briand Cabinet.

On the other hand, it is the confident expectation here that the German government will object vigorously to the latest plan of the Allies, particularly the financial settlement with Germany such as that nation and the rest of the world can regard as reasonable.

As a further reason for the continuance of the Paris plan, it is

Kidnapped Baby Found Alone in Vacant House.

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WAN JOSE, Jan. 31.—A 6-months-old baby, found alone in a vacant house, was identified here today as Harry E. Smith, Jr., said by the San Francisco police to have been kidnapped from that city January 23. The identification was made by the boy's mother, Mrs. Alice Smith.

Mrs. Smith, accompanied by a newspaper man, rushed from San Francisco to this city by automobile when told that a baby had been found in a vacant house in the hospital in which the child is recovering from the effects of exposure and kidnapping.

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THE BIG HUTCH TRIAL SET FOR FEBRUARY.

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BURLINGTON RAILROAD REDUCES SHOP FORCE.

BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE!

LINCOLN (Neb.) Jan. 31.—A moderate reduction of 5 per cent of the men working in the mechanical departments of the Burlington Railroad in the Nebraska district was ordered today.

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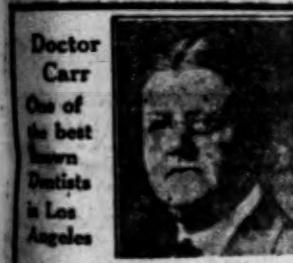
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INCOME, EXCESS TAX,
COLLECTIONS DECLINE

RECEIPTS FOR DECEMBER

\$246,000,000 LESS THAN

1919 FIGURES.

BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Income

and excess profits taxes collected

by the government in December

fell off by more than \$246,000,000,

as compared with December, 1919,

and for the first half of the fiscal

year collections declined by more

than \$10,000,000, as compared with the

corresponding period of the previous year, according to figures

made public tonight by the Bureau of Internal Revenue.

Collections for December amounted

to \$620,613,510, against \$856,674,

or 22% in 1919, while for the six months ending with December the total was \$1,583,389,816,

compared with \$1,984,128,836 in 1919.

MANUFACTURED GOODS LEAD 1920 EXPORTS

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE REPORTS TOTAL AS

\$3,204,532,199.

BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Manufactured goods led in exports for

1920 with a value of \$3,204,532,199,

as shown today in Commerce De-

partment figures and compared with

\$2,563,504,754 in 1919.

Crude oil led in imports with manu-

facturing led imports at \$1,758,874,

583, compared with \$1,674,541,857

in 1919. Exports, however, were

\$1,870,827,453, compared with

\$1,616,135,351 in 1919.

Foodstuffs exports were

placed at \$917,974,355, as against

\$678,262,413 in 1919 and manufac-

tured foodstuffs exports at \$1,116,

960,679, as compared with \$1,962,

618,458.

INVESTIGATION OF

"MONEY TRUST" URGED

BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Inves-

tigation of charges that "the money

market is controlled by a small

group of international bankers whose

tactics are paralyzing legitimate

commerce and industry" is proposed

in a resolution introduced in the

House today.

The resolution states "there is

good reason to believe that money

has been drawn in New York

at interest rates running as high as

20 and 30 percent for 'specula-

tion and gambling' purposes.

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VIRGINIA BANK ROBBED, BURNED

Thieves Get \$119,000 and Set Fire to Building.

Negro Murderer Goes to Chair Praying for Mercy.

Detroit Detective Shot by Bandits Succumbs.

BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—The Comptroller of the National Bank at Reservoir, Va., a village 100 miles from here, was robbed of cash and securities totaling \$119,000 and then set on fire, according to reports received today by the Washington police.

The building, a two-story frame structure, was destroyed. The door to the vault and that of the safe inside were found open, it was said. The cash taken from the bank officials at \$19,000 in securities included a large amount of Liberty Bonds.

MURDERER PUNISHED.

DETROIT, Jan. 31.—Praying aloud from his cell until the current was applied, Lee Ellison, negro slayer of Sheriff R. S. Hunter of Houghtaling county, was hanged at Eddyville penitentiary today with a noose of iron wire.

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DAILY TRADE NEWS.

Will Gasoline Go Up or Down? Blankenhorn Retires; Gold Reserve Declines.

BY CHAPIN HALL.

MORNING THOUGHT.

Cautious suggestions of a "may-be" increase in gasoline prices are being put forth. They come out of the ether, but "9-cent gas" by May 1" is the way they roll down. It is pointed out that California is constantly drawing upon its reserve and that before very long it will be exhausted, and we will be dependent upon importations to fill our requirements.

At the same time an eastern trade paper declares that the oil industry's about to liquidate. Gasoline throughout the Middle West has been reduced 2 cents per gallon, and the tank-wagon price in Chicago is now 25 cents. Kerosene was cut from 18½ to 15½ cents. Crude oil, which had stubbornly held its own against deflation and reduced prices in other commodities, is falling. Petroleum products are being shipped at barges and Gulf Coast.

This review says: "The trade has had ample warning of the impossibility of holding the economic status quo, which deflation has brought about. The effect of the new ruling is to make a straight 6 per cent rate throughout the list."

Between stories of underproduction, overproduction, heavy importations, inefficient importations, increased prices, and the like, it is small wonder that a straight 6 per cent rate is predicted.

It is impossible to find a reference to the situation in the oil men here, where the feeling appears to favor early advances. The present price of gasoline in Los Angeles is about the average throughout the country, but east of Boston, except Boston, are getting it as cheap or cheaper and are promised a reduction. The average price has gained 4½ cents since the end of the war.

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The bond firm, which has offices in Los Angeles, San Francisco, Oakland, and Sacramento, will be known upon the completion of necessary corporate proceedings, as Hunter, Dulin & Co., the principal partners of which are Robert E. Hunter, Garrison Dulin and E. G. Dulin, and the junior partners, Carlos Greeley, manager of the San Francisco office, Charles E. Simonson, manager of the Pasadena office, and G. H. Schellenbach, secretary.

Mr. Blankenhorn will retain an interest in the real estate business in Los Angeles, but will not operate under the name of Blankenhorn-Hunter Company.

LOS ANGELES STOCKS.

Oils were quoted at 10½ cents in Los Angeles, which went to par. Delaware Union at 166. Republic Petroleum up to 7½ cents from an opening at 7, and a fair market for stocks of citrus lands, owned by 2266 acres of citrus lands, owned by United States of America, were 100. The effect of the new ruling is to make a straight 6 per cent rate throughout the list.

Blankenhorn Retires.

It was announced yesterday by the Blankenhorn - Hunter-Dulin Company that David Blankenhorn, due to his retirement, and the necessity of a much needed rest, has retired from the firm.

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Ochoco Irrigation District 6s..... 1925-34 6.50%
Provinces of Alberta 6s..... 1920 6.50%
Feather River No. 7 Warrants 7s..... 1925 7.75%
Williams Irrigation District 7s..... 1921-22 8.25%
CORPORATION BONDS

San Joaquin Agricul. Corp. 1st 6s..... 1927 7.00%
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Pacific Gas & Electric 1st & Ref. "A" 7s 1940 7.10%
Southern California Edison 6s 1944 7.10%
Ohio Power Company 1st & Ref. 7s..... 1951 7.40%
Canadian Northern Gt'd. Railway 5½%..... 1924 7.75%
Great Western Power Co. 8s..... 1930 7.90%
Jackson Furniture Co., Serial 7s..... 1922-26 8.00%
Hoover Dam Company Serial 7s..... 1927-29 8.00%
Milky Pro. Ass'n of Central Calif. 1st 7s..... 1926 8.00%
Southern Counties Gas 16½%..... 1924-28 8.00%
Tropicot Pottery Inc. 1st 8s..... 1924-28 8.00%
Virginia Chemical Co. 7½%..... 1932 8.00%
National Leather Company 8s..... 1925 8.00%
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FINANCIAL

OFFICE OF THE TIMES

Los Angeles, Feb. 1, 1921.

Bank clearings yesterday were \$12,496,247.57.

An increase of \$2,005,164.08, as compared with last year.

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TUESDAY MORNING.

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MIDWAY GAS COMPANY			
7% Gold Notes 1922	98.81	8%	
PROVINCE OF NOVIA SCOTIA			
6% Gold Bonds 1930	92.89	7%	
OHIO POWER COMPANY			
1st & Rfdg. 7s 1951	95.25	7.40%	
PACIFIC GAS & ELECTRIC CO.			
1st & Rfdg. 7s 1940	99	7.10%	
STEEL & TUBE CO. OF AMERICA			
Genl. Mtgs. 7s 1951	95.25	7.40%	
VIRGINIA-CAROLINA CHEMICAL CO.			
7 1/2% Gold Deb. 1932	96.25	8%	
GLENN-COLUSA IRRIG. DIST.			
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STOCKS AND BONDS IN SAN FRANCISCO

BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—Following are the day's closings of stocks and bonds on the San Francisco Stock and Bond Exchange.

Bonds—
1. Gas & Oil Co. 1st Mtg. 1922 100% 100% 100%

2. City & County 1st Mtg. 1922 100% 100% 100%

3. First Federal Trust Co. 1st Mtg. 1922 100% 100% 100%

4. Gen. Pipe Line 1st Mtg. No. 1922 100% 100% 100%

5. Golden Gate Power Co. 1st Mtg. 1922 100% 100% 100%

6. L. A. Electric Co. 1st Mtg. 1922 100% 100% 100%

7. L. A. Gas & Electric Co. 1st Mtg. 1922 100% 100% 100%

8. L. A. Railways Corp. 1st & 2nd Mtgs. 1922 100% 100% 100%

9. Northern Cal. Power Co. 1st Mtg. 1922 100% 100% 100%

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TRADE IN CHINA IS THREATENED.*American Firms Seek Relief from Heavy Taxes.**Business in Orient is Going to Competitors.**Remedial Action is Sought of Congress.**BY ROBERT B. ARMSTRONG.**[EXCELSIOR DISPATCH.]*
WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Unless Congress takes action during the present session on a bill intended to give relief to 345 American firms engaged in the development of American trade in China, the United States stands to lose a foreign trade market which now amounts to \$475,000,000 a year.*This statement was made today by J. H. Fowle of Shanghai, secretary of the American Chamber of Commerce of China, who is in Washington in the interest of legislation before Congress which will prevent certain abuses now imposed upon American business in China by American merchants in the Orient.**We only participated in China's prewar trade to the extent of about 6 per cent of the total, the bulk going to Britain, France and Japan.**CAUSES TRADE LOSS.**This burden upon American firms is causing this foreign market to go to America's chief competitors, Great Britain and Japan," continued Mr. Fowle. "Before the war, American trade in the Pacific did not carry more than 10 per cent of the total trade of the United States. We only participated in China's prewar trade to the extent of about 6 per cent of the total, the bulk going to Britain, France and Japan.**Under the stimulus of the war and also due to the fact that Europe was largely eliminated, American trade in China increased to 17 per cent of China's business to nearly 17 per cent of the total. China's imports and exports in the same period increased from a prewar figure of \$1,395,000,000 to approximately \$1,395,000,000 for last year. In the same period American firms actually engaged in the China trade increased from 1,000 to approximately 250.**In hundreds of ways in both business and diplomacy America is bound up in the destiny of China. It is in the same way that an international crime if America permits this great market and the friendship of some 400,000,000 people to go to the best interests of other countries. There is no further residence or improvement in the hill provides as follows:**"That any settler or entryman under the heading of war or any other cause will be entitled to application or entry and prior to Nov. 11, 1918, enlisted or was actually engaged in the United States Army, Navy or Marine Corps during the war in Germany, who was honorably discharged, and because of physical incapacities due to service is unable to return to the land, and make preparations for further residence, improvement or cultivation, at such time and place as may be authorized by the Secretary of the Interior and receive patent to the land, and the same may be set aside upon the condition that would place our merchants on an even basis with our competitors."**Budget Rubes go to Spain.**BY CARL AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.**BRUSSELS, Jan. 31.—King Albert and Queen Elizabeth left today for a week's visit to Madrid.***THREATENS GIRL; RUNS FROM MOB.***Orange County Posse Hunts Masked Mexican; Clamor to Lynch Child's Accuser.**[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]**PULLERON, Jan. 31.—Several hundred armed ranchers, reinforced by police, deputy marshals and members of the American Legion, were tonight combing the orchards between Fullerton and Anaheim for a Mexican who accosted and threatened to shoot 14-year-old Dorothy Weston this afternoon. After tracing the girl to the orchard near Orange Grove, the posse surrounded him but darkness prevented capture.**During the night scores of lights flashed through the surrounding orchards as the mob sought to satisfy their desire to lynch.**Although unharmed, the girl is in the care of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Wente of Brookhurst avenue, Orange Grove. She was on her way home from school when the Mexican ran up and had his hands pointing his finger at her, said:**"I'm going to shoot you."**Screaming, the girl ran into the nearby home of C. E. Smith, Miss Smith's mother, who is a police and Marshal Twining, and twenty armed deputies joined the ranchers, who had quickly armed and were pursuing the man through the fields. The Mexican took a black mask and reached toward his pocket as if to draw a gun, Dorothy told the police.***DISABLED SOLDIERS GET HOMESTEAD AID.***MEN WHO FILED ON LAND PRIOR TO WAR EXEMPT FROM FURTHER WORK.**[EXCELSIOR DISPATCH.]**WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—When the Senate passes this week a bill already passed by the House, disabled soldiers, sailors or Marine Corps men who started to homestead land before entering the service will be exempt from further residence or improvements.**The bill provides as follows:**"That any settler or entryman under the heading of war or any other cause will be entitled to application or entry and prior to Nov. 11, 1918, enlisted or was actually engaged in the United States Army, Navy or Marine Corps during the war in Germany, who was honorably discharged, and because of physical incapacities due to service is unable to return to the land, and make preparations for further residence, improvement or cultivation, at such time and place as may be authorized by the Secretary of the Interior and receive patent to the land, and the same may be set aside upon the condition that would place our merchants on an even basis with our competitors."**Budget Rubes go to Spain.**BY CARL AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.**BRUSSELS, Jan. 31.—King Albert and Queen Elizabeth left today for a week's visit to Madrid.***CALIFORNIAN IN WAR FINANCE CORPORATION***[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]**WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Walter W. Warwick of Ohio, new Comptroller of the Treasury, and Carl H. Hargrove, former publican member of the House of Representatives from California, were nominated today by President Wilson to fill the vacancies existing in the directorate of the war finance corporation.**Lumber Mills to Reopen.**[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]**PINE BLUFF (Ark.) Jan. 31.—**The Long Bell Lumber Company's pine mill here will resume operations tomorrow on a basis of 75 per cent capacity, putting between 350 and 400 men at work, it was announced today.***ALLIES SEIZE ARMS SHIPPED TO SILESIA.***[BY CARL AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]**PARIS, Jan. 31.—Inter-Ally authorities at Oppeln, Silesia, seized two carloads of arms and ammunition being taken into Silesia from Germany last night, it is said in a dispatch.**Lumber Mills to Reopen.**[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]**PINE BLUFF (Ark.) Jan. 31.—**"Built by California Oil"**REPUBLIC PETROLEUM**Standing Cemented at 2897**CLASSED INDEX**LOST AND FOUND**PERSONALS—Business**PERSONALS—Personal**PERSONALS—Miscellaneous**PERSONALS—Educational**PERSONALS—Religious**PERSONALS—Health**PERSONALS—Sports**PERSONALS—Hobbies**PERSONALS—Automobiles**PERSONALS—Travel**PERSONALS—Agriculture**PERSONALS—Real Estate**PERSONALS—Finance**PERSONALS—Machinery**PERSONALS—Manufacturing**PERSONALS—Mining**PERSONALS—Construction**PERSONALS—Mining**PERSONALS—Manufacturing**PERSONALS—Transportation**PERSONALS—Mining**PERSONALS—Manufacturing**PERSONALS—Transportation**PERSONALS—Mining**PERSONALS—Manufacturing**PERSONALS—Transportation**PERSONALS—Mining**PERSONALS—Manufacturing**PERSONALS—Transportation**PERSONALS—Mining**PERSONALS—Manufacturing**PERSONALS—Transportation**PERSONALS—Mining**PERSONALS—Manufacturing**PERSONALS—Transportation**PERSONALS—Mining**PERSONALS—Manufacturing**PERSONALS—Transportation**PERSONALS—Mining**PERSONALS—Manufacturing**PERSONALS—Transportation**PERSONALS—Mining**PERSONALS—Manufacturing**PERSONALS—Transportation**PERSONALS—Mining**PERSONALS—Manufacturing**PERSONALS—Transportation**PERSONALS—Mining**PERSONALS—Manufacturing**PERSONALS—Transportation**PERSONALS—Mining**PERSONALS—Manufacturing**PERSONALS—Transportation**PERSONALS—Mining**PERSONALS—Manufacturing**PERSONALS—Transportation**PERSONALS—Mining**PERSONALS—Manufacturing**PERSONALS—Transportation**PERSONALS—Mining**PERSONALS—Manufacturing**PERSONALS—Transportation**PERSONALS—Mining**PERSONALS—Manufacturing**PERSONALS—Transportation**PERSONALS—Mining**PERSONALS—Manufacturing**PERSONALS—Transportation**PERSONALS—Mining**PERSONALS—Manufacturing**PERSONALS—Transportation**PERSONALS—Mining**PERSONALS—Manufacturing**PERSONALS—Transportation**PERSONALS—Mining**PERSONALS—Manufacturing**PERSONALS—Transportation**PERSONALS—Mining**PERSONALS—Manufacturing**PERSONALS—Transportation**PERSONALS—Mining**PERSONALS—Manufacturing**PERSONALS—Transportation**PERSONALS—Mining**PERSONALS—Manufacturing**PERSONALS—Transportation**PERSONALS—Mining**PERSONALS—Manufacturing**PERSONALS—Transportation**PERSONALS—Mining**PERSONALS—Manufacturing**PERSONALS—Transportation**PERSONALS—Mining**PERSONALS—Manufacturing**PERSONALS—Transportation**PERSONALS—Mining**PERSONALS—Manufacturing**PERSONALS—Transportation**PERSONALS—Mining**PERSONALS—Manufacturing**PERSONALS—Transportation**PERSONALS—Mining**PERSONALS—Manufacturing**PERSONALS—Transportation**PERSONALS—Mining**PERSONALS—Manufacturing**PERSONALS—Transportation**PERSONALS—Mining**PERSONALS—Manufacturing**PERSONALS—Transportation**PERSONALS—Mining**PERSONALS—Manufacturing**PERSONALS—Transportation**PERSONALS—Mining**PERSONALS—Manufacturing**PERSONALS—Transportation**PERSONALS—Mining**PERSONALS—Manufacturing**PERSONALS*

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The People and Their Daily Troubles

Prohibition Here Forces Liquor Embargo in England.

BY JANE DIXON.

England announces an embargo on two of her present exports to America, rye and Scotch whiskies. The ban begins February 1.

The measure, driven by this drastic measure is that dealers are depleting their stock for home consumption in order to supply our demands.

Since the institution of prohibition in the United States shipments have increased to such an extent as to imperil our own supply and to threaten a rise in price of liquor at home—a proceeding unnecessary, impracticable and "unpopular."

So say the authorities over there.

Sarcasm?

No, indeed. The lion is not clowning the tickle of visibility of other nations.

The lion is fairly busy these days keeping its own claws trimmed and ready for all emergencies.

Obviously it regards the present situation as an emergency.

We could not criticize the lion, however, if behind its paw it concealed a broad grin for the American eagle compelled to send all the world across the ocean for a product which under proper conditions might be safely produced in its own domain.

The impossibility of forcing free men and women to accept a law directed at all members of society whose individual preference is becoming more evident every day, as opposers of the Eighteenth Amendment hoped it would and as prohibition itself proved it did.

Talk with the men who went over to the trenches and fought for the ideals of freedom.

See how they feel about their countrymen who are home and bound to certain their principles.

The truth of the matter is prohibition in the United States is a farce—one in which the very bone and sinew of the nation delight to play.

No less an authority than John F. Kramer, Federal Prohibition Commissioner, declares the United

States will never be bone dry. Mr. Kramer is a man not afraid of the truth.

On the heels of such declaration comes the proposed embargo by England.

Forcing thinking men into narrow grooves and always has been dangers business.

Let an prohibit license without destroying the same freedom of choice.

CORNED BEEF AND CABBAGE.

An acquaintance dropping in unexpectedly upon a friend for dinner the other evening met profuse apologies because the meal was decorated with a large platter of corned beef and cabbage.

Let us never need to apologize.

They never needed to apologize.

Kindly note the word "decorated."

It is used advisedly.

The family will tolerate a gaudy portion of this wholesome, nutritious dish once a week, or once every two weeks at least, is indeed fortunate.

Just when, where and by whom corned beef and cabbage are tagged as indicative of a lowly culinary standard is not important.

The important part of the decision is it happens to be both stupid and wrong.

Start a group of half a dozen children out on such plain foods as corned beef and cabbage; start a group of like age and number on a diet of ham, bacon, sausages, etc., ridiculously expensive concoctions devised by effete chefs.

At the expiration of a few years compare groups.

In the future of the U.S.A. depends upon the latter group of dyspeptic, flabby-muscled erotics, everything would be over with your Uncle Sam, but the funeral flowers, the healthy young husband who pack a sack of eggs with home-cooked potatoes for breakfast, many slices of good wheat bread with vegetable or meat or both for luncheon, and one or another帮助他妻子的 husband dinner every second day when go over the top with a whoop at the zero hour.

Again, for no reason whatsoever.

The lion is fairly busy these days keeping its own claws trimmed and ready for all emergencies.

Obviously it regards the present situation as an emergency.

We could not criticize the lion, however, if behind its paw it concealed a broad grin for the American eagle compelled to send all the world across the ocean for a product which under proper conditions might be safely produced in its own domain.

The impossibility of forcing free men and women to accept a law directed at all members of society whose individual preference is becoming more evident every day, as opposers of the Eighteenth Amendment hoped it would and as prohibition itself proved it did.

Talk with the men who went over to the trenches and fought for the ideals of freedom.

See how they feel about their countrymen who are home and bound to certain their principles.

The truth of the matter is prohibition in the United States is a farce—one in which the very bone and sinew of the nation delight to play.

No less an authority than John F. Kramer, Federal Prohibition Commissioner, declares the United

corned beef and cabbage have come to be regarded as the national dish of Ireland.

Natives of the "old sod" itself have deemed as this is crass error. Irish potatoes are the national dish of Ireland.

Corned beef and cabbage make something of a luxury with a majority of Emerald Islanders.

Pork is the usual meat, because pigs are easy to raise, being natural foragers, not at all "peculiar" about their diets.

The fact that an Irishman takes a pig's ear, corned beef and cabbage like a bone to parboil wild hams is neither here nor there. Many a 100 per cent American feels the same way about a mess of pig's ears.

Boiled cabbage was a favorite dish of the first Americans.

They never needed to apologize.

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DEPARTED SPIRITS.
Somebody who has been browsing
through history declares that the country
never had a great teetotaler. How about
Carrie Nation?

A HORSE APIECE.
Secretary of State Colby intimates
that Hiram Johnson doesn't know what he
is talking about, while the Senator suggests
that the Secretary doesn't know what he is
doing. Possibly they are both right.

A DARK HORSE.
A colored woman is running for Al-
derman in Roger Sullivan's old ward in
Chicago, but that is no sign that she will be
elected. It only demonstrates that almost
anybody can run for office in this country.

THE EATING HABIT.
Under prohibition the restaurants in
New York have increased in number from
5,200 to 12,000. People must be eating in-
stead of drinking. Either that or the pay-
as-you-enter prune parlor has taken the
place of the free lunch.

NOT A PIKER.
An Illinois preacher has admitted a
recent mail robbery in which he got away
with about \$200,000 in cash. He had read
that the average pay of the minister was
less than \$1,000 a year and wanted to fix
it so that he wouldn't have to worry for
the next two hundred years or so.

HIP! HIP! HURRAH!
Even the tailors have accepted the
Eighteenth Amendment as a fixture. The
new trousers are made very tight over the
hips and some even without hip pockets.
It would be impossible for a man to carry a
pistol flask without advertising it the length
of the street. There will be no more carrying
of samples of home brew. The days
when a man could bear a six-pound horse
pistol on one hip and a quart of Old Crow
on the other have gone forever.

MAGNUM OPUS.
The 12 per cent tax which the Allies
will exact upon all German exports seems
like a heavy toll upon the nation's trade, but
if Germany settles down with the pur-
pose of meeting the demands of the reparations
commission she will have become the greatest
industrial nation in the world in the doing.
That should be a higher glory than she won as a military power. The
requirements of the Allies may seem harsh, but
their fulfillment would make of Germany
a nation that could laugh at and with the
rest of the world. The Germans are
capable of doing that very thing.

ANYBODY'S CHANCE.
Three sons of former Presidents are
following the footprints of their sires and
have gained public life by way of the Leg-
islatures, of their native States. There is
Theodore Roosevelt in New York; Russell
Harrison in Indiana and Robert Taft in
Ohio. In this country ancestry can neither
help greatly nor harm seriously any career.
In the cases named the young men have
benefited to some extent through the pro-
gress of family, but they would not have
advanced even as far as they did if they
had not possessed some strength and ability
on their own account. The son of a President
may have some advantage for a moment, but
it is not such as may not be overcome
by the son of the coal heaver at the first
turn of the road.

GROUND HOG DAY.
This is groundhog day, but nobody
cares much about it in this neck of the
world. On Candlemas day—otherwise Fe-
bruary 2, the sedate and self-centered ground
hog comes to the door of his retreat and
takes a slant down the road. If he sees the
sunshine he fears a sharp frost at twilight
and so he crawls back between the blan-
kets. He knows that clouds portend an
open season and that with the weather
bureau the signs of "clear and cold" are
always hung out together. But in Southern
California nobody bothers with taking a
census of woodchucks and no one cares for
their conclusions concerning the climate.
If a ground hog wants to get peevish over a
little sunshine, so much the worse for the
ground hog. Everybody else is willing to
take a chance.

NUDE IN COMMERCE.
The Housewives' League in Ohio is
making a determined stand against the
nude in commerce. At Toledo reference
is made to the drapery—or the absence of
drapery—in connection with the waxen
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JOINT HIGHWAY REPORT.

A service of incalculable value to the
people of California has been rendered by
the Automobile Club of Southern California
and the California State Automobile Asso-
ciation in their joint report on the high-
ways of the State, a comprehensive sum-
mary of which was published in yesterday's
Times. The report, which is to be printed
in book form, will also be a valuable refer-
ence work for highway commissions of other
States, the government engineering de-
partments and for use in engineering
courses in universities and colleges.

Copies of the book will be sent to State
and county highway departments all over
the country and will undoubtedly have a
guiding influence on many important high-
way enterprises. The mistakes made in
California and the lessons to be drawn from
them are clearly and specifically pointed
out in the report, so that the work will be
the means of preventing similar mistakes
in the future, not only in California, but in
other States.

Experience is a wise, if sometimes costly,
teacher. That some of the California high-
way construction should prove to be faulty
or inadequate could not perhaps be fore-
seen. By pointing out these mistakes, de-
scribing and analyzing them, the engineers of
the automobile clubs have performed a
valuable service to highway builders every-
where.

The State of California has issued high-
way bonds to the amount of \$72,000,000, of
which about \$39,000,000 is yet unexpended.
California counties have issued \$42,000,000
in highway bonds. It is estimated that, in
order to carry out the full highway pro-
gram, the State will have to raise \$100,000,-
000 more for highways by bond issues. With
so large a sum of money involved and good
roads being a vital factor in the develop-
ment of the State the matter is one of
the greatest importance to the people—one
in which every citizen has a right to
interest himself, for he is not only paying
the bill, but is directly concerned in the re-
sult.

The report confirms, convincingly and
thoroughly, the impression that has gener-
ally prevailed that the large sums of money
appropriated for highways have not been
expended to the best advantage. Although
many promises have been made since 1910,
the disagreeable fact remains that there is
not yet a connected highway the length of
the State. The trunk highway is not even
completed between San Diego and San
Francisco, nor between Riverside and San
Francisco. The much-needed, often-promised
highway between Los Angeles and Imperial
Valley still lies in the future. Communi-
ties interested in that road have paid an
enormous percentage of the State high-
way costs. The road should have been com-
pleted long ago and the large number of
people interested are properly indignant
because of the delay. The State Highway
Commission is again promising action and
expects to have the road from Indio to
Brawley completed early next summer, but,
even if that promise is fulfilled, irre-
versible loss has been caused by the failure to
build the road promptly.

The automobile clubs, with a combined
membership of 71,000, made the investigation
and report, when that became obvious to
them that the State highways already con-
structed were rapidly deteriorating. The
consulting engineers of the two organiza-
tions, J. R. Lippincott for the southern club
and Howe and Peters for the northern
club, directed the investigation in their res-
pective territories. Prof. C. Derleth of the
department of engineering of the Uni-
versity of California; E. J. Brunner, con-
sulting engineer of San Francisco, and ten
other engineers were associated in the
work. The investigation was begun last
July and the work has been continuous, sys-
tematic and thorough up to the time of the
closing of the report.

The engineers collected much valuable
data concerning weight, speed and volume
of traffic and made detailed inspections of
all paved roads on the State system. Lab-
oratory tests have been made at the State
University and an elaborate highway bibli-
ography was assembled. The engineers of
the two clubs have also prepared extensive
reports which it is proposed to have printed
in large volumes.

The report is undoubtedly the most ex-
tensive and comprehensive study of the
highway subject made in the United States.
It required five months of continuous work
and cost about \$35,000. While the report
unhesitatingly points out mistakes and er-
rors of judgment, the criticism is constructive
in character and is bound to have the
effect of saving valuable time and large
sums of money to taxpayers both in Calif-
ornia and in other States.

The difficulties under which the State
Highway Commission was compelled to per-
form its earlier work are acknowledged.
The report says that the construction pro-
grams of 1913, 1914 and 1915 are highly
commendable and that the mileage of roads
built in that period in the face of an un-
salable 4-per-cent bond was a most credit-
able achievement. Cleanliness of adminis-
tration and absence of scandal have been
noticeable. Wilful waste and extravagance
cannot be charged and honesty of purpose
is freely admitted, says the report.

Criticism of the State Highway Com-
mission is summed up as follows by H. W.
Kellar, chairman of the Roads and High-
ways Committee of the Automobile Club of
Southern California:

"The Highway Commission is justly
charged with building inadequate roads and
persisting in such construction when it was
evident, even to the layman, that the roads
would not serve the increasing traffic and
would not to which they were subjected.
Justice may wear handbags over her eyes;
but she nevertheless presents herself to view with nothing on
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Now's Our Chance for a Knockout!



EDITORIAL OPINION.

It is a happy thing that California
is at last taking enough time from
praising her climate to condemn her
lack of foresight in failing to pre-
pare and present a firm and strong
position, but for the unpropitious
propositions climate, would today be
little more than crumbled stones. For
nature has been permitted to do
her worst, and it was the architec-
tural achievements of the San Diego
and San Francisco expositions, whose
stately beauties owed so much to
the inspiration of the old missions,
that put the "save-the-missions"
movement well under way.—[Brooklyn Eagle.]

An alert and resourceful police force which captures thieves and assassins, an energetic prosecuting officer who prepares the evidence against them without delay, a grand jury which acts promptly on the cases presented to it, a trial court which disposes of its calendars with businesslike dispatch, a good judge who imposes sentences meeting the merits of the offense; if these elements are present in the administration of justice the public will be adequately protected.—[New York Herald.]

Frankly, the American people seem to be bored. There is a lack of interest that hangs over us like a haze. The politicians won't joke; the people who don't go to church: 500,000 actors are out of work, and even the movies have found that their manufactured "thrills" have become as tame as a sleeping cow in a painted picture.—[American.]

Miss Hale asks why it is that
whistling is so often associated with
levity, while singing is taken as the
symbol of sadness or disease.

Of course, he hasn't a very melodic
voice and that may have some bearing
on his case, but, no matter what he may sing, his friends ask him if he feels that way all over,
why he doesn't want to do it.

It might be "Oo-la-la, ou, ou," or
"My father and mother were Irish,"
that's the way they invariably talk.
Let him start whistling "The Dead
March," from Saul, on the other
hand, or "Hearts and Flowers" or
"Trumper" and they say "You're
feeling kind of gay today, aren't
you?" or accuse him of being some
old blue, cold blue, pitiful hand.
Quite a foolish thing to do.

Succeeded in getting to Stringer.

And now when a call rings out
For something grand and good,
yet new.

We hear their negative shout
And they pledge their faith in the
long dead past.

And hold for it a grand review
And bow at its feet and kiss its
hand.

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From press dispatches one may
gather reason for the suspicion that
perhaps Mr. Harding does not now
subscribe so enthusiastically as an orthodoxy churchman should to the
proverb that there is wisdom in the
multitude of counselors. At all events,
they represent his mind to him
as a result of his having some
"best minds" that he is preparing
for flight to the solitudes of
Florida in the hope of discovering in
his own unpromised mediations
what he should seat about his Cab-
inet table.—[Galveston News.]

RIPPLING RHYMES.

THE CRIME WAVE.

I know not why this world has
struck so wild and fierce a gait, but
well I know men run amuck and
seem inspired by hate; and for a
cockpit or a buck they'll kill you
while you wait. When darkness
shrouds the city streets men fear to
leave their flats, lest sundry lawless
types, who have a state of perplexity
about them, will pounce on a
stranger.

Then that proud day when Judith
King Accepted my engagement ring.

And third, the day so full of joy
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PEN POINTS
BY THE STAFF.

Now for the local cat show. But that is another tale.

Welcome to February, the shortest of all the circling twelve!

The British want delay in paying the debt due the United States. They all do.

If President-elect Harding is not careful they will load a lemon ranch on him in Florida.

It is our opinion that the head lock ought to be barred also in the wattle for Cabinet jobs.

By the way, has the Supreme Council of the Allies fixed the date for the trial of the ex-Kaiser?

There ought to be a second edition of the charge of the local police on the loafers attending the Peets.

An editor died up-State the other day with a neck of \$50,000. It was bequeathed to him by a loving uncle.

Los Angeles is to have seven special elections during the month of February. On the dance, let joy be unconfined.

Pretty women are said to have lured the victims in several recent local hold-ups. And we can see where they can do it.

Why does a girl shut her eyes when she is kissed, asks a contemporary. Some are compelled to, in order to avoid being shocked.

Takes the gasoline and the movies out of life and there would not be much left for some folks, but, please, they are not the majority.

If any loud, scraping noise is heard coming out of the East it is no doubt caused by Mary Garden trying to run that Chicago grand opera company.

With the conclusion of the Peels' trial there ought to be a distinct betterment of the local labor shortage. The masters will be compelled to go to work.

We once heard a man declare that he never borrowed anything. But most of his troubles were borrowed. It is better to borrow experience than to buy it.

So far, William Howard Taft has refrained from placing himself in the hands of his friends for a Harding Cabinet job. His self-representation is to be commanded.

The world is gradually getting better. Dr. Ernest Thompson says the fewer clothes the higher one's moral tone. We can't imagine where he got that stuff, but he said it.

The pages of the live newspapers these days are filled with alluring advertisements beckoning buyers to fortunes. And it is not necessary to barbecue a beef to get a crowd, either.

The wife of the President-elect has already moved a lot of her things into the White House. She hopes to have the roof fixed and a set of new lace curtains in the best room before March 4.

Two hundred and twenty-six billion marks is the size of the reparation fund demanded of Germany by the Allies. Not so dollars, but German marks, which makes the total much smaller than it would seem to be.

They're sniffing in the Senate again over the tariff bill. But so far no Senator has recalled the once famous statement of Sen. Hancock that the tariff was a local issue. We have traveled far on the tariff road since 1880.

If the proposed new ruling as to home brews making the landlord liable in a fine of \$1000 if the tenant makes the stuff, is to be effective we can see where he will get his money back. He has already counted it in the rent, expecting something of this sort to happen.

Our old friend, Dr. Sun Yat-Sen, father of the Chinese Republic, is again active in the management of the affairs of that nation. He is planning to come back to his old job of President. But, taking warning of the example of President Wilson, he does not propose invoking a "solemn referendum."

What week the Probate Court does make of the estates of alleged "millionaires"? There is no place in the estate of a well-known business man and politician who was supposed to be very rich, but the final accounting gives him an estate of only \$1500. Death, like some other things, is a great leveller. The term "wealthy" is much abused.

The Cabinet of President Harding will be a paper Cabinet, and his administration will be a paper administration. And it will be a Cabinet of his own selection. It will be his choice of the best men available, as he has been able to judge their qualifications during the series of conferences that he conducted in Marion. No member of the new organization will be foisted upon him. From the beginning he has had in his mind's eye the idea of a Cabinet which he wants and outside pressure will not eat with him.

THE HYBRIDS.
(With apologies to Mr. Burbank.)
We may think the California really silly.
Who "call-ally" did his golden poppy
"call-ally."

We may curse the western poet for his power
To rename his home-grown cabbage
"Cal-flower."

But let's hang the wag and strip him head and toe
Who will call his native cotton
"Cal-leaf?"

HUNTINGTON BARKER



HARD SLEDDING FOR MUCKRAKER

Hearst Gets Cold Comfort in Corporation-Baiting.

Even Vote-Seeking Officials Balk at Program.

Cries for Tearing Up the Gas Mains Ignored.

Squads of Examiner reporters, special writers, extra-special representatives and super-ambassadors from the editors, descended upon the City Hall yesterday, armed with sharpened pencils and determined to provide the Hearst organ with fresh sensations even if every type-writer ribbon obtainable in Los Angeles had to be worn to a frazzle.

"Boys," said the Examiner editor yesterday, when starting out his men for their attack on City Hall. "The gas and telephone stories are good stuff. We sold two more papers on Sunday in Hollywood and there is a man at San Fernando who is said to be seriously contemplating giving us a subscription. Keep up the good work. Hammer the corporations."

"Boys," said a timid young reporter, "do you think this stuff is doing the city any good? It's all bunk, you know, and we'll be chasing some new sensation in a few days and the gas and telephones will be forgotten."

"What do we care for the prosperity of Los Angeles?" hotly retorted the editor. "The capitalist lives in New York ain't it? He seems to slam somebody and we are going to do it to you. You're fired!"

The Examiner editor with the half-hearted "Me too," support of Heart's evening organ renew yesterday's campaign for revenue only against the public utility corporations, and the railroads and department stores which had refused to be clubbed by the Examiner into giving the paper advertising.

HARD SLEDDING.

But the Examiner representatives found hard sledding yesterday at the City Hall. For the reaction throughout the city against the Examiner's Bolshevik tear-up-them-as-mains attacks had begun to be felt by the Mayor and the City Council, and the railroads and the officials on Saturday and Sunday had demanded that their representatives climb down from the Examiner's band wagon.

The City Council yesterday passed without comment a resolution asking the City Attorney for the exact facts as to the legal rights and franchises held by the gas companies to operate in Los Angeles.

"We knew the Examiner's gas and telephone and department store staffs were all just black and displayed to sell power," one official told the angry citizen. "We are going to run for re-election at the May primaries. We don't know anything about gas except the campaign oratory variety, but the opportunity for publicity was too good to overlook."

"Are you here for Los Angeles or are you?" said the citizen as he walked away.

The officials were indignant at a question from a reporter at the City Hall on Saturday, asking the Councilmen if they would vote to tear up the gas mains of the city in case it is found the companies have no franchises.

NOT PRINTED.

"I will," one Councilman told the disgruntled Examiner reporter, "if the Examiner will guarantee to supply me and the rest of the citizens with gas for heating, lighting and cooking." The interview was not printed in the Examiner.

As a result of this tide of protest from all parts of the city, the City Council's meeting yesterday demanded that Denton "tear up the gas company's" "Tear up the gas mains," which the Examiner editors had fondly hoped would be the result of their attacks. The Councilmen of the Mayor and the City Council had reassured itself as the officials realized that they had been made "goats" of the Examiner's attacks for popularity. No speeches were made from the floor of the City Council yesterday urging that the gas company be thrown out of town. The Examiner's protest lasted a few minutes, bringing more Examiner reporters and fresh pencils, but the Councilmen seemed strangely unexcited and continued with their routine.

WHAT'S BEING DONE.

In the meantime, the Board of Public Utilities and the State Railroad Commission, are working in close co-operation, quietly and effectively, with the public utility of the city to meet the needs of the citizens despite its sudden and tremendous increase in population. Additional public service must and will be provided, and a greater measure of confidence and security in the ability of the engineers and the integrity and willingness of the corporations to meet their new demands for the propagation of the telephone, gas, electric and street railway companies is the prosperity of Los Angeles.

Chief Engineer Mulhall of the city's water department hit the nail on the head in explaining the situation confronting the public utilities of the city, when he said:

"While Los Angeles has grown too fast. We have said to the world, 'Come to Los Angeles, and the people have come, and now we must find room for them to supply them with water and other public service. These problems must be solved and solved right, and I am certain that they will be."

The contention of the Los Angeles Gas and Electric Corporation that it is operating in Los Angeles under authority of the State constitution was confirmed in a report submitted to City Attorney Stevens by Chief Engineer Osborne of the Board of Public Utilities. The provision of the constitution (Section 18, Article XI) was drawn up while gas was used for heating and cooking purposes, so that the use of the gas is set forth as for illumination. The company holds three county franchises which have many years yet to run, it is stated.

A Judicious Inquiry.

A well-known traveling man who visits the drug trade says he has often heard druggists ask a customer who wished to buy a cough medicine if it was good for an adult and, if for a child, they almost invariably recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. The reason for this is that they know there is no danger from it and it is always correct. There is not the least danger in giving it and for colds, cough and whooping cough it is unsurpassed.—(Advertisement)

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(With apologies to Mr. Burbank.)

We may think the California really silly.

Who "call-ally" did his golden poppy "call-ally."

We may curse the western poet for his power.

To rename his home-grown cabbage "Cal-flower."

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Mr. and Mrs. Hert, who will spend several weeks in Pasadena.

TOO MANY SACRED COWS.

There are too many sacred cows and too much caste in India. San Higginbotham, an American who was appointed by the Mahatma Ghandi as his personal director of his state, said in an address this noon before members of the Chamber of Commerce: "What India needs most is all kinds of agricultural implements and agricultural tools and agricultural implements and learn how to use them. Furthering of these things has been Mr. Higginbotham's work. The bright sunshine coming into the room.

Dr. Raymond Sands speaks caustically, but with some encouragement, that her chances for recovery have increased, but that she is not yet out of danger.

BANK CLEARINGS GROW.

Bank clearings in Pasadena were \$5,000,000 greater during January than in the corresponding year, according to a statement issued today by the Pasadena Clearinghouse Association. The total clearings for the month just ended totaled \$18,818,412, as compared with \$14,774,412.47 for January 1920.

BOXER STILL ALIVE.

George A. Rawson, Seattle club man and amateur athlete, is still alive but his health is not good. He very recently thread the needle of his eleventh-day in a state of coma from concussion of the brain. He went into the state of coma following a boxing match with a member of the Y.M.C.A. January 20. A consultation of specialists decided there was no use to operate. Doctors say there is little hope for Rawson to recover.

Necklaces of fine jade, amber, rock crystal, amethyst, antique blue glass crystals, ivory and mother of pearl are made by the Chinese of Grace Nicholson's Famous Oriental Shop at 45 N. Los Robles Ave. Also rug brooches, ear-drops and scarf pins, perfume bottles, latest fancy hand bracelets and disk necklaces. Miss Nicholson urges comparison of values. [Advertisement.]

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MOVIE MAN EXPERIENCE

no appetite. My back ached awfully and my left side hurt continually. I was constipated and so extremely nervous that if the telephone bell rang I would jump like I had been shot at. My head ached a great deal, and on several occasions I turned diary all of a sudden and fell right in my tracks. I tried all kinds of medicines, but nothing reached the case.

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TUESDAY MORNING.

MAY BE NORTH AGAINST SOUTH.*Golf Cracks May be Lined Up for Champ Match.**Contest to be Arranged for Saturday Afternoon.**Six, Eight or Ten-Men Play Could be Hit Upon.**A north and south team match between the golf pros who are assembling for the Southern California open championship is a possibility. It was opened up last night at the meeting of the Southern California Professional Golfers' Association, discussed, and Arthur Carlson was appointed team captain of the south.**Carlson will meet with the northern representatives when they arrive and seek to arrange a match for Saturday afternoon, the day before the pro-amateur event which precedes the 12-hour medal play for the championship.***MUCH SAID.***Much has been said in the north concerning the possibility of the south golfers over the course of the week. Hints of team matches have been flying around thick and fast, but nothing has ever come of them. Here is a chance to get some real action in the north, thinks the south brothers John and Bob and the Espinoza brothers, Abe and Al and Bob Lager and a few others in the south.***DRAW BIG.***The not-pit them against some of the stars—Leo Diesel, Eddie Loos, Dick Fraser, Frank Peebles, Hunt Ruth, Ernest Martin, Eddie Gandy, and find out for once and all? He said he would draw a tremendous crowd if he could get the Los Angeles Country Club course, would give the players splendid opportunity to sample the course where his championship is to be played.**A six-man team match of eight or ten men according to the number of northerners who come south could be arranged. The affair offers wonderful possibilities.***DELANEY KNOCKED OUT.***BY A. P. NIGHTWIRE.*
CLEVELAND (O.) Jan. 31.— George (Knockout) Chaney, Baltimore, scored a technical knockout over Cal Delaney of Cleveland in the first round of a scheduled ten-round bout tonight.*"The New York Yanks will fight it out with the world's champ Cleveland Indians for the 1921 American League title," declares Miller Huggins. He says his ch-***BASEBALL NOTES.**

The New York State Legislature has before it tonight a bill designed to cleanse baseball from possibility of anything approaching the Chicago baseball scandal. Senator Frederick W. Kavanagh of Saratoga and Assemblyman John T. Merriman of Albany introduced a bill of elasticity of not more than \$10,000 and imprisonment for not less than one year nor more than five years for any person attempting to bribe a baseball player or for any player accepting a bribe.

Down East the scribes are still prophesying that Buck Weaver will be back on third base for the Sox next season when the season opens. Buck's record is just the same now as it was last fall after the exposure as far as Chicago fans are concerned.

Branch Rickey is out with a statement that Roger Hornsby would have batted better than .400 in 1920 if he had not received an injury to his side.

The passing of Lefty C'Dell removes the last of the bellwethers from the Coast and gets into the Pacific Coast League. Carroll is in the lead with the pitcher, a right-hander, who was hard to handle and very often refused to obey orders.

Ty Cobb has added another Coast leaguer to the Detroit pitching staff. The added starter is George Crumpier, a southpaw, late of the San Francisco club.

Dave Robertson's threat to remain at his home in Norfolk, Va., while the Cubs are basking in the sunshines at Pasadena, and making no move for the campaign, does not seem to worry the north side-management. It is predicted the Virginian will be on the job when the Bruins embark for the Coast March 3.

The first big leaguers already in the southland are to start training. Charles E. Smith and his brother Bill Ryan of the Giants landed in Hot Springs last week. They will limber up at the Arkansas resort until late in February when they will go to San Antonio to join McGraw's regulars.

Reports from Sacramento are that the Cleveland Indians will enter the University Auditorium here there Saturday night for a game against the Sacramento Manager Bill Rodgers. Sacramento expects to play Lunte at shortstop, shifting Bill Orr to third base.

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(The record swim, in open water, is 52s, held by Duke P. Kahame-moku of Honolulu.)

It will be better balanced, the pitch will be infinitely improved, youngsters will be more seasons and there will be greater speed o-

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There is the three or four years' Belmont Street laid out a course at St. Petersburg and another one at Clearwater last summer.

And just recently the Clearwater links have opened. Mike Brady will have to play here in early January.

The new course was not learned by the police.

In SHORT TIME.

It is remarkable what a short space of time a good green can be put into commission in Florida

now that the soil is understood and the grass problem has been solved.

A green plant in November will be ready to play in early January.

which is a record for growing grass

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Robert Strong laid out another

course at Vero, on the east coast,

which has come in for a lot of favor-

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SENATOR-ELECT ALSO SHOWN INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT OF LOS ANGELES.

Senator-elect Shortridge spent

yesterday afternoon in an inspection

of the industrial district of Los An-

geles, accompanied by a committee

from the Chamber of Commerce.

Earlier in the day he was taken

through the Chamber of Commerce

Building by President Sylvester L.

Weaver and was told of the situ-

ation of the city in relation to

overseas shipping by Marius de Bar-

mont, chairman of the chamber's com-

mittee on foreign trade and the

horticultural section.

Today he will be the guest of the

Pedro Chamber of Commerce and

will make an investigation into the

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REVIEWS.

"THREE WISE FOOLS."
JOHN GOLDEN SENDS CAPITAL PRODUCTION TO MASON.

By Edwin Schallert.
When all hope of having a No. 1 company in a play that can be human, plausible and exciting at once has vanished, along comes a real production out of a relentless East, and everybody has a chance to restore joy again. It took "Three Wise Fools" to accomplish the result this time, and nothing else stands to John Golden's credit, he will be applauded long and earnestly for sending us so good a show in as dull a season of plays, as the comedy drama he presented last night. The audience, a mixed-matched audience that only assembles for things that are worth while was there to enjoy it, and they even broke the action with applause.

As in "Streetcar," the piece and its setting with man and sure that he is going to reach the hearts of his public through his humor and his pathos, he puts in enough melodrama to satisfy the thrill seeker. The action continues in the second act, and he leaves about nine tiers of crash-like excitement and emotion loose at once.

You may think that "Three Wise Fools" is about as fast, bold and dramatic as the start, either you drag through the preliminaries it's a skip all the way to the destination, which you reach after several unexpected curves.

The comedy in the play arrives early and stays late, thanks to Claude Gilliland's work in one of his classic character sketches. A real stage picture, human and without Gilliland's presence, it would be hard to imagine "Three Wise Fools."

Harry Davenport, as Dr. Richard Gurney, and Howard St. John, James Dunnigan, are the other members of the triumvirate of folly—the three bachelors who loved the same girl in their youth, and who have remained Athos, Porthos and Aramis to one another in their old age.

Heinie Menken as Miss Fairchild, daughter of the great actress, is a study of really excessive emotional demands. And Miss Menken does not scrub her skin, either. The electrical feeling she displays is more than a matter of nervous energy.

Donald Foster is charming, too, as George Schuyler, whose presence is necessary to the love interest. He plays the part with requisite naturalness.

You will find nothing perhaps of what you want from a human comedy-drama in "Three Wise Fools," and you will enjoy a superlative cast.

MEIGHAN HEADS CAST AT GRAUMAN THEATER.

An inspiring title, a prince among the rest of the reels of sentiment, hokum and conventional melodrama—how many times have you seen this combination? No matter. You'll have another chance this week at Grauman's Rialto.

"Frontier of Stars" and Thomas Meighan is its luminary, with Fair Binney the supporting principal. Meighan is the crook who reforms, and Miss Meighan is the responsible for the reformation.

"The Frontier of Stars" is undoubtedly the kind of story that looks very well on paper. In fact, looks good enough to be considered up-to-date. Because you can put over a lot of fine "cover up" writing in literature that you can't manage at all on the screen.

The idea of the picture is sweet, pretty and all of that, and it could be written into a charming novelette, but psychological values are negative, and we have a feature that is in the main very tried and true. No matter, you'll have another chance this week at Grauman's Rialto.

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WIRE TRIANGLE USED AS TRAP.

Relays of Detectives Sat for Four Days Listening.

Fake Ransom Note Mailed Just to Hurry Kidnappers.

How Four Phone Girls Drew Net Shut on Pair.

That police detectives, deputy sheriffs and Nick Harris detectives worked in three teams and established a tapped-telephone triangle in order to capture the kidnappers of Mrs. Gladys Withersell was explained last night by Nick Harris, who followed the investigation through.

After holding two conferences, according to Mr. Harris, three searching parties, each consisting of a deputy sheriff, a police officer and a Nick Harris operator, sat at the first trap by 8 o'clock. Mrs. Withersell's ransom note came in at 8:30, demanding \$50,000. This was intended to cover the cost of the kidnapping and draw them into early communication with the family.

Two extensions were placed on the Withersell residence, one next to the residence of Mrs. Withersell's father, and another at the home of Dr. James Fendom, a neighbor. This established the triangle. Detectives took up their posts at these telephone sets, left them only as shifts changed from day to day. Among those who assisted in the detail were Deputy Sheriff Lips and Anderson, Detectives Bryant and King, Nick Harris and Detective Brown and Morgan from his office.

"All day and night from Thursday to Sunday we remained at our posts," said Detective Lips. "The extension was called by one of the kidnappers at 10:22 p.m., Sunday. The officers in the Withersell residence then listened in on the conversation between the kidnaper. In the meantime the chief operator called me at Fendom's house, a drug store, 200 Main Street. First I thought I knew it impossible to reach there from Hollywood in time to make a catch so, as the operator was so quick, I instructed him to wire the information to the police. Detective Sergeant Kahlmeyer and Detective Sergeant Schleider responded. Kahlmeyer personally made the arrest. As to what had happened since then, I have no knowledge."

The detailed story of how the telephone operators trapped Carr was related yesterday to The Times by Mrs. Alma Bryant, 41, Odin Odinsen, 36, and night switchboard operator of the Hollywood exchange, under whose direction the fast work was carried out.

"We came on duty Sunday night and were told by the day foreman of the switchboard to take off the wires. Hundreds in Hollywood were searching the hills, and we talked it over, saying we hoped we could do something," Mrs. Bryant said.

"At 10:22 p.m. Miss Bertha Heers of 1023 South New Hampshire street, received a call for Mr. Withersell's residence. She listened in long enough to hear the man on the downtown end of the line ask for O. S. Withersell and say, 'This is the man who's got your wife.' Then she called me."

"Working in prearranged manner, I called the corridor and the main line, 1022 Santa Monica Boulevard, call information and tell her to hold the line and be ready to give us location of a number as soon as possible. Miss Bond, 202, of 12th Street, South Broadway, got the detective bureau and told the officer there that a call was being made by the kidnapper, and that she would let him know from where the man was calling. I also asked him to stay on the line. Miss Heers in the meantime got Chief Operator Moore at the main exchange and had her make the call. We did not get the number. Miss Pond shouted it to the information operator, who immediately gave her the location. A. J. Miss Pond ran this to the 200 East Fifth Street station, and the 200 East Fifth Street station, and the police headquarters. We did not get the number. The girl worked like lightning and not a second was lost. We listened to the conversation and heard the man hang up the receiver without completing what he had to say. Then we knew he was caught."

THE RESCUE.
"When I recovered, there was gas in my mouth. I smelled chloroform, and the robe was tied over me. My belt was strapped around me. I could breathe and I heard them talking.

"Is she dead, will she come out?" Jack was asking the gray-haired man.

"Yes, she's alive, she'll be all right. I feel her pulse beating." Jim replied. "She ought to have some aromatic spirits of ammonia to bring her out," said Jack. "Oh, to all right. She is alive," said the other. They lay still.

"Then they got me to Huntington Park. I was semiconscious. I knew what was going on, but felt like I was paralyzed. They tied me securely and put more chloroform on me. I was then taken into the car and the other man got into another automobile, and they drove over the roads."

The young mother stopped her recital of the morning. Detectives her baby Jack and his grandfather, A. J. Withersell were playing. The baby's voice rang out with laughter as she turned in bed the young woman. Her right arm was black and blue with bruising.

"After we left Huntington Park I got some air through the opening in the folds of the robe. Out on the road they hit me. They told me they would have to club me again if I fought and struggled.

"All we want is money," they told me. "We still land we will not harm you."

"Are you sure you want money? You are not going to cut me up like they did that poor woman in Edens?" I asked, and they said, "No."



Mrs. Alma Bryant,
Chief night operator on the Holly-
wood telephone system, who with
three of her assistants, made possi-
ble the capture of the kidnappers.

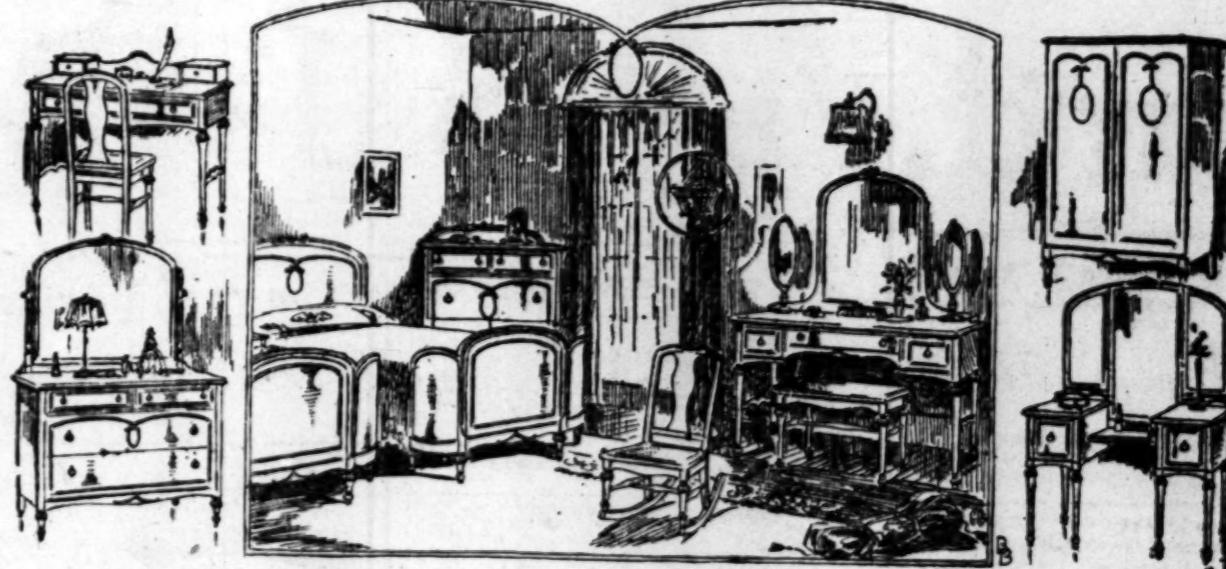
Barker Bros.' 41st Annual Clearance Answers the Furniture-Buyer's "Where" and "When"

It is only logical and entirely obvious that the place which gives the greatest amount of satisfaction to the buyers of furniture and home furnishings is the place where the ASSORTMENTS are the largest and most complete and where the QUALITY goes without saying.

So, to those who have any doubts as to the place where they shall buy their furniture, "Barker Bros." with its thirty-three sales display floors of superior home-furnishing merchandise, is the answer.

And to those who have been waiting for furniture prices to reach a standard level before making their purchases, the Forty-first Annual Clearance now in progress at Barker Bros., answers, most certainly and emphatically, "NOW is the time to buy!"

The proof of this answer is in the hundreds and thousands of phenomenal values which the Clearance has imposed throughout the store.



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Home-makers with sleeping-rooms to furnish or re-furnish are exceptionally fortunate considering that Barker Bros.' clearance embraces our entire stock of Bedroom Furniture. Some idea of the importance of the values in this section may be gained from the few examples following:

Dressing Tables, in mahogany finish	\$57.50	Mahogany four-post Beds, in full or twin sizes	\$75.00 and	\$67.50
Ivory enamel Chiffonier with mirror back	\$32.50	Upholstered Benches		\$17.50
Solid Mahogany Day Beds, complete with box springs	\$75	Odd Chiffoniers		\$147.50

Mattresses of Barker Bros.' Own Make in the Clearance

Three models of Barker Bros.' Own Make Mattresses, filled with white staple cotton, have been re-marked at prices which are extremely low for mattresses of this superior quality.

White staple cotton is a high-grade mattress filling. It should not be confused with ordinary cotton fillings.

Mattresses made from this filling are exceptionally resilient and durable.

50-lb. Special Stitched Edge Mattress	\$32.50
45-lb. Imperial Edge Mattress	\$27.00
40-lb. Imperial Edge Mattress	\$23.00

All of these mattresses are made with Barker Bros.' new "Non-spread-tuf" feature, which doubly reinforces the tufting and prevents spreading.

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Broadway, Between Seventh and Eighth

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the veterans officers, calloused as they are to displays of human emotion under all kinds of stress, had ever witnessed before. Worn by the sleepless days and nights of the past week, they had not been able to find Mrs. Withersell unharmed, the officers to a man bowed their heads in the presence of the young reunited couple. "Is it you? Is it really you? Can it be you?" sobbed the woman as her upturned face was kissed. Stooping to the bed where she was recovering, he took her hand in his again and again by her husband.

Then through the door came A. J. Withersell, father of the young man, rushing eagerly into the room that he might be the first to move his son.

"Daddy! Oh, daddy!" rang out the cry of the happy woman.

"Did they touch you? Sweetheart, did they touch you?"

THE RESCUE.

"Yesterday I had a feeling that something was going to happen. Floyd got ready to go to town. He got the note, after she added her own remarks to what he had written. Floyd left at 4:45. A few hours later she heard a car drive up. I became frightened, and rushed into the corner of the room, where I lay alone. I was afraid and said he had an accident and wrung his back. The car ran into something, and Jack would have to go to town instead. He got out of the car and went to the door and then Floyd nailed me into the room and went to sleep. In the middle of the night the steamer went out. I called him and he said, 'Never mind,' and went back to sleep. Jack was not due back till daylight, was alone in that dark room. I thought he would be all alone. Something in me kept telling that there was trouble in the air. The night was terribly long. I called Floyd again. 'Don't be afraid, there is nothing to harm you.' Then, after some more long, dark hours, I heard whistle and car sounds. I called Floyd three times. I thought he had come, and then I felt my mind going insane. There were voices, and then I heard Floyd loading the automatic. I heard Jack's voice, and then all was a mad jumble of sounds."

Here follows a description of the rescue by Warden Woolard, one of The Times men with the pose:

WHAT HAPPENED.

With these words, cried out in his prison room in the mountains yesterday morning, Mrs. Withersell greeted her husband after her five days of confinement in the kid-gloves hidden among desolate hills near Corona, more than sixty-five miles from her home and baby.

Rescuers were only new tormentors. Realized her in a moment, lifted her to her feet and held her in an embrace that seemed to defy another parting.

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Women's Vests

—Low neck, sleeveless, ribbon-run top. They come in regular size.

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On Broadway

Jacoby Bros. Between 3rd and 4th

Jacoby's Underprice Basement's Birthday Sale Begins Tuesday!

BIRTHDAY SALE**Women's Shoes**

(Basement, North Bldg.)

—For this Birthday Sale we have made some sharp reductions in our popular makes of women's shoes that will enable you to save considerably on new footwear.

—These are well-made, comfortable, stylish shoes, reduced for one day only—come early.

For \$2.00

—A wonderful selection of very desirable low shoes—Dull Kid Pumps, Dull Kid Oxfords, Patent Leather Pumps, Patent Leather Oxfords, Black Kid Ties, Patent Leather Ties, Leather Juliettes.

For \$3.00

—Women's High Shoes, button or lace models, black or brown kid and calfskin, high French, military and low heels.

For \$1.00

—Choice of any pair of Women's Felt. Basement, North Building—Jacoby's



Nearly every one in Los Angeles knows what sensational offerings were made in these Birthday Sales of the Underpriced Basement in the past. Because of the great number of items we have assembled, it would have been impossible to give them proper display in four pages, so we have merely told of a small part of the merchandise and prices! Read every item! The very fact that we have given it space in this advertisement is your guarantee that the price is sensationnally low!

No phone orders on any specials—none will be sent C. O. D., and there can be no exchanges or refunds. We reserve the right to limit quantities in every case.

352 DRESSES That Will Cause a Furore at **\$9.98**

BIRTHDAY SALE**Silk Stockings**

Sensationally Underpriced

69c

The Basement Manager intends to set folks talking with this special—for these stockings were made to sell for about three times what he has priced them!

—They are pure thread silk and dropstitch stockings in black only—semi-fashioned and have lisle tops and double soles and toes and high spliced heels.

—The price is reduced owing to slight imperfections—the majority you'd hardly notice, and any of them you'd gladly mend when such savings are to be made.

—A limit of six pairs to a customer—no refunds and none C. O. D.

Jacoby's Underprice Basement

A certain manufacturer "almost gave" these dresses to us—it was a Birthday gift—and we're going to "almost give" them to you!

Dresses of Taffeta, of Satin, of Tricolette, of Serge and of Tricotine

No need to tell you that these dresses are underpriced—but we do want to caution you not to judge them by their low price! Scores of women who have never thought of buying dresses for as little as \$9.98 will be found among the most enthusiastic buyers on Tuesday!

—When you see these wonderful dresses you're going to understand why all of us here at Jacoby's are so eager for the opening of this sale. We're confident that practically all of the dresses will be sold shortly after the store opens.

—Note the dresses we have sketched above—see the other dresses that are in one of our windows tonight—and then, no matter what else you've planned, be here at 9 o'clock Tuesday!

—No C. O. D.'s, no phone orders, no exchanges and no refunds!

Sale—Jacoby's Underprice Basement—South Building!

More Good Birthday Sale News! **\$9.98** 250 Novelty Wool Sports SKIRTS **9-**

The BIRTHDAY SALE brings

**Jersey Coats \$5.98
to sell at**

5.98

—An attractive pinch back style in navy, brown, black, heather, emerald and red—sizes 16 to 44.

—Every time we announce a sale of Wool Jersey coats it brings enthusiastic response—better come early.

Jacoby's Underprice Basement

**Brand New Spring Models**

—No wonder there'll be lively interest in the first day of the Basement Birthday Sale!

—Everyone in our Basement section was delighted when these wonderful skirts put in appearance for women fairly "snap up" such good looking skirts whenever we offer them so much underworth!

—Wonderfully effective colorings and combinations.

—All sizes when the sale starts.

Jacoby's Underprice Basement

BIRTHDAY SALE**Children's Hose**

at a very, very small price

19c

—Ordinarily you'd pay nearly treble King Cotton's price—and some were made to sell for almost four times the sale price!

—They are the heavy cotton stockings that are so satisfactory for school and general wear.

—In black, white and colors and have double toes and soles and high spliced heels. Sizes 6 to 9½.

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**Men's Sox
much reduced . . . 15c**

—You've been used to paying several times 15c for this quality!

—They are remarkably good cotton sox that have elastic tops and double heels and toes. Black, white and colors.

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Women's Cotton Stockings at . . . 25c

—Extra quality and way underpriced. Semi-fashioned and have double soles and toes and high spliced heels.

—Black, white and colors; sizes 8½ to 10.

BIRTHDAY SALE**Women's Bloomers 59c**

—White Jersey bloomers, extra full and have reinforced seats and elastic at knee.

Women's Union Suits worth fully double . . . 49c

—White combed cotton union suits that are low neck and sleeveless and have lace yoke, ribbon-run top and cuff knee. Sizes 34 to 44.

Women's Vests . . . 19c

—Low neck, sleeveless, white cotton vests with ribbon-run tops. They are light weight and come in regular sizes.

Jacoby's Underprice Basement

SEWAGE STARTS HOT WORD FIRE

City Will be Mired in Three Years, Speaker Says.

Verbal Tilt Follows as Club Members Listen Eagerly.

Sculptress Chosen to Design War Memorial Fountain.

BY MYRA NYE.

Crash! Bang! The fight was transferred from the men's City Club sector to the Woman's City Club yesterday. The fight was not for the trenches. It was over the sewers. It took just four hours for the men to raise their banner of war. The women took an hour and one minute by themselves. But it was hot while it lasted.

Mildly enough at first, Willis T. Knowlton of the City Engineers' staff, Los Angeles, presented his report on "The Necessity for an Outfall Sewer for Los Angeles." He had not gone far before everyone in the room was shouting and the city will be in the mire in three years if some more adequate provision for city sewage is not speedily provided.

That mire was graphically and dramatically clear.

Clear as mud, however, was the speech of Mrs. Hermosa, Redondo and Manhattan beaches will all lose their pristine loveliness if the change is not made at once. But how?

In deciding how, he was flung contradictions flashed through the air and challenges red hot issued from Cline, Manning, Clegg from the floor to R. W. Haddon on the platform. Mr. Haddon was arguing for the sale of the sewer for service to the city.

Griffin was opposing him with a new sewer system that shall have its outfall in the ocean.

Through the ever constant fire between them, the mire was mittenly the question-annunciation of Mrs. Martha Law, Mrs. John Moyers, Mrs. G. F. Atchley Mrs. Clark, Mrs. A. C. and others. Mrs. Hermosa Darling's grave, ineffective bomb falling at necessary intervals.

As for the opposing leaders among the men, if continued warfare is the most effective weapon, Mr. Haddon won. If intense feeling, accompanied by convincing figures and well compiled facts mean anything, Maj. Griffin was the winner.

Ebell Club.

"Our Soldier Poets of the New Awakening" was the subject of Edmund Russell, talk master of the Ebell Club. Mr. Russell has returned to America after spending the whole period of the war and some of the time in England in looking after the man on the other side. He was therefore, most sympathetic in his interpretation of Robert Service, the soldier poet. He read from his works, "The Coward," and "Fleur-ette."

Mrs. Frederick Dow of Chicago, past president of the Illinois Federation of Women's Clubs, speaking as a representative of the South Federal district in the thrift campaign, urged the women to "carry on."

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"MISSING" FILM MAN IS FOUND.

Disappearance Tale is Called Ridiculous by Him.

Says He's been in Constant Touch with Friends.

Leaves for East to Wind Up Affairs and Come Back.

BY MYRA NYE.

Crash! Bang! The fight was transferred from the men's City Club sector to the Woman's City Club yesterday. The fight was not for the trenches. It was over the sewers. It took just four hours for the men to raise their banner of war. The women took an hour and one minute by themselves. But it was hot while it lasted.

Mildly enough at first, Willis T. Knowlton of the City Engineers' staff, Los Angeles, presented his report on "The Necessity for an Outfall Sewer for Los Angeles." He had not gone far before everyone in the room was shouting and the city will be in the mire in three years if some more adequate provision for city sewage is not speedily provided.

That mire was graphically and dramatically clear.

Clear as mud, however, was the speech of Mrs. Hermosa, Redondo and Manhattan beaches will all lose their pristine loveliness if the change is not made at once. But how?

In deciding how, he was flung contradictions flashed through the air and challenges red hot issued from Cline, Manning, Clegg from the floor to R. W. Haddon on the platform. Mr. Haddon was arguing for the sale of the sewer for service to the city.

Griffin was opposing him with a new sewer system that shall have its outfall in the ocean.

Through the ever constant fire between them, the mire was mittenly the question-annunciation of Mrs. Martha Law, Mrs. John Moyers, Mrs. G. F. Atchley Mrs. Clark, Mrs. A. C. and others. Mrs. Hermosa Darling's grave, ineffective bomb falling at necessary intervals.

As for the opposing leaders among the men, if continued warfare is the most effective weapon, Mr. Haddon won. If intense feeling, accompanied by convincing figures and well compiled facts mean anything, Maj. Griffin was the winner.

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ASK COURT TO STOP BUILDING REMOVAL.

Edward R. Maier and John F. Powers filed suit yesterday against the Motion Picture Corporation to restrain it from moving a building at Washington and Main streets, on the ground that the building is a portion of the real estate that the corporation owns in Washington Park and adjacent property.

The Sheriff was accused of attempting to remove a number of these special deputy sheriffs above the authorized number; he is also accused of refusing to turn in his permit, contrary to law.

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100 women's and misses' vanity cases bought very specially to sell at 4.95. Patent and dull leathers in large square and oval styles. Boxes lined with fancy light colored linings and fitted with 3 vanity fittings. Mirror in cover.

Downstairs Store—Today

Store Open All Day Saturdays

Hamburger's Down-stairs Store

Laces, 5c to 25c

Formerly priced 10c to 25c the torchon lace and insertion now 5c, 10c and 25c val., torchon lace and insertions in desirable lengths, new 10c yard. Hand crocheted and Cheney patterned laces—shadow laces and bandings 5c yd.

Downstairs Store—Today

Women's, Misses' Serge Dresses for Spring, 12⁵⁰

Brand New Purchases Just Arrived From New York and Priced 'Way Low for This "Pre-War Price" Sale

Here is a big surprise for our Downstairs Store customers. Talk about your dress event. This is one that should appeal to every woman who wants a new Spring dress at a bargain. A manufacturer had a quantity of wool serge on hand and offered to make up these splendid dresses at just about half their usual price. They have arrived and are ready for your early selection Today—a variety of very attractive models for women and misses. One is a straight line model trimmed with sash of tricotette. Some have trimming of silk embroidery. Make your selection early.



Sports Coats 10.00



Plaid Skirts. 10.00

Plaids, stripes, checks or serges—all wool materials. Tailored and pleated models are going to be the all day feature in the Downstairs Store skirt section. Today. Pretty color combinations—browns, greens, blues, including black and white. This is another "Pre-War Price" offering that should interest every woman and miss in Los Angeles. Every skirt an excellent value at 10.00.

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Tricolette Only 79c Yd.



Fancy Outings, 17c

Heavy quality 27-inch fancy outing flannels in a splendid range of plaids, stripes and checks. Both light and dark patterns for your selection. "Pre-War" priced at 17c yard.

Cotton Blankets, 1.98 Pair

64x76 inch heavy quality fancy white double cotton blankets in double bed size. Pink and blue borders and pretty crochet edges. A substantial mark down to 1.98 the pair for this "Pre-War" sale.

68x72 Comforts, 2.50

These are filled with good grade fluffy cotton and covered with floral designed silks. Very low priced at 2.50.

Wearwell Cases, 35c

This well known brand of pillow case in 42x26 inch size is excellent for wear. Just 35c specially purchased for this "Pre-War Price" sale at 35c each.

Stitched Batts, 1.15

72x44 inch batts, stitched ready for covering. A three-pound weight batt that opens out 72x44 inches. Priced special for today at 1.15 roll.

Crepe-de-Chine, Yard, 1.75

A splendid quality and weight in striped silk crepe-de-chine. Several wanted patterns for making men's shirts, women's waists, dresses, etc.

Longcloth Yd. 29c

Yard wide, splendid quality heavy thread longcloth. 36 inches in width.

Excellent for many home uses. Greatly underpriced at 29c the yard.

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Fancy Silks, Yard, 1.49

Extra heavy quality 27-inch fancy silks. Striped and plaid taffetas. Free from loading such as you usually find in the less expensive silks. Excellent hems and finish. All taken from higher priced lines and greatly underpriced at 1.49 the yard.

Wool Dress Goods, 1.95

43 and 44 inch all wool dress goods in a broken line of colors. French, Serger, Storm Serger, Panama, Crepe, Rayon, Granite Cloth and other weaves.

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Women's Kid Gloves—First Quality—Famous Chanut Make

We secured 1,200 pairs of these excellent French gloves in both kid and lambkin quality. 2-clasp style with stitched backs. All sizes, from 6 to 8 in white or gray. Sizes 7 to 8 in black or brown. Very low priced at 1.95 pair.

Women's Lisle Stockings, 65c

100 pairs of women's full fashioned lisle stockings at about half their usual price. Black, cordovan and gray, finished with high spliced heel and toe. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10. Today, the pair at 65c.

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Women's Silk Stockings, 1.95

50 dozen pairs thread silk stockings—selected seconds of one of America's best known makes. The imperfections are so slight as to be scarcely noticeable. Full fashioned with high spliced heel and well reinforced with lace. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10.

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Men's Night Shirts, Priced 1.95

2000 Pairs Women's High or Low Shoes to Sell at 3.98



500 House or Porch Dresses Sale Priced at 1.95



Women's Petticoats at 3.49

100 Jersey and taffeta silk petticoats in lengths for women and misses. Washable silks included. All underpriced to sell at 3.49.

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Brushed Wool-Scarfs, 3.50

45 heavy brushed wool scarfs in 3-yard lengths for women and misses. Finished with 4-inch knotted fringes. All greatly underpriced at 3.50. Make your selection early.

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Seamless Axminster Rugs

Greatly underpriced owing to slight miswashes which the factory inspector found in them. We do not hesitate to recommend these rugs for wear and appearance. Splendid patterns in this sale. Choose early.

27x54 Axminster Rugs, 4.95

36x72 Axminster Rugs, 8.95

4.6x6 Axminster Rugs, 17.95

6x9 Axminster Rugs, 31.95

7.6x9 Axminster Rugs, 39.95

8.3x10.6 Axminster Rugs, 46.75